

WHAT HISTORY TEACHES US IS THAT MEN HAVE NEVER LEARNED ANYTHING FROM IT.—Georg Wilhelm Hegel

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FROM THE bethel town office

Special Town Meeting and Public Hearings Scheduled for Monday, April 28

On Monday, April 28, a special town meeting will be held at 7 o'clock in the Bethel Fire Station to consider adoption of a resolution to allow the Maine State Authority to operate in the Town of Bethel. The wording of the proposed resolution is as follows: "Be it resolved by the inhabitants of the Town of Bethel as follows: The Maine State Housing Authority is authorized to seek and may contract for financial assistance from the Federal Government for the purpose of providing housing for low income elderly persons in the Town of Bethel, Maine."

If the Town passes this resolution, the Maine State Housing Authority will be able to consider proposals such as John Waseleski is proposing for the former Thunderbird Motel. However, any specific proposal for housing looked favorably upon by the State Housing Authority would have to come back to the Town for Town Meeting approval.

In effect, by the Town passing this resolution, it would only open the door for the Maine State Housing Authority to operate in Bethel, it would not give approval for any specific project.

Following the special town meeting, the Selectmen will meet in regular session at the Fire Station. Public hearings will be held regarding the adoption of General Assistance Rules and Regulations, and an amendment to the Special Amusement Permit Rules and Regulations to increase the fee for such a permit from \$10 to \$50. Copies of both are available for inspection at the Town Office during working hours.

A public hearing will also be held concerning the Selectmen's fees for Lodging Houses. The Selectmen would be adopting the same fees as were approved at Town Meeting in March. This adoption by both the Town Meeting and the Selectmen has been advised by the Towns legal counsel because of confusing wording in the State Law. Copies are available for inspection at the Town Office.

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M. S. A. D. #44 DIRECTORS TO MEET MONDAY

The board of directors of M. S. A. D. #44 will hold a regular meeting in the library at Telstar Regional High School next Monday evening, April 28, at 7:30.

Among items to be considered at the Monday session are: action on resignation of superintendent; appointment of a Middle School assistant baseball coach; approval of a one year leave of absence for a member of the teaching staff and posting of the position for the 1980-81 school year; appointment of two Adult Ed. teachers; action on Title I staffing for the 1980-81 year; action on second probationary contracts for teachers currently on first probationary status; action on annual salary agreements for teachers currently on second probationary contract status; action on annual salary agreements for teachers currently on continuing contract status.

There will be a discussion of the Literacy Volunteers Program by Nancy Watson. Kathleen Guinness, Telstar guidance counselor, will discuss the Career Education Program. Proposed school health curriculum topics, Substance Use and Abuse, and Family Life, will be discussed by Mary Ann O'Connor, District Health Education Coordinator.

Adler Muller, Elementary Supervisor, is scheduled to explain the current Title I program and the proposed program for the 1980-81 school year.

HONDURAS MISSIONARIES AT ADULT FELLOWSHIP MAY 3

Ed and Robbie Doughty, missionaries to Honduras, will be the guest speakers at the West Parish Congregational Church on Saturday, May 3, at 6 p. m. The Doughtys spend every winter in Honduras. They reside in Norway in the summers and manage the Wilderness Campground on Yaggar Road. They are bringing slides of the life and people in Honduras. There will also be handcrafted items from Honduras on display. A potluck supper will begin the meeting at 6 p. m. in the Congregational Church dining room. Please bring a main dish, a salad, or a dessert. Beverage will be provided. The speakers will begin around 7 p. m. Everyone is welcome to the Adult Fellowship, Saturday night, May 3.

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NEWRY RESIDENTS TO HEAR PLANNING BOARD PROPOSALS

The Newry Planning Board will be holding a public hearing on Monday evening, April 28, at 7 o'clock at the Sunday River Inn for the purpose of informing residents and taxpayers of recommended ordinances and changes in road specifications. Discussed will be a proposed Site Plan Review Ordinance, Sub-Division Regulations, and changes in Town Road Specifications as recommended by the board of selectmen.

Plans are to present these new ordinances and changes to the voters at a special town meeting later this spring, therefore all concerned citizens are urged to attend this important informational meeting.

INDIAN RAID BICENTENNIAL GROUP MET APRIL 13

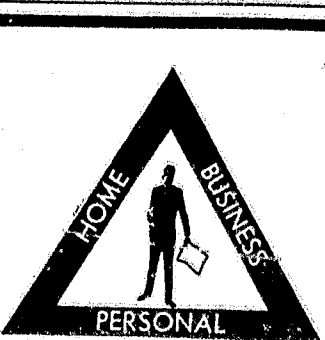
A second meeting of all those interested in the bicentennial of the Indian Raid upon Bethel was held Sunday evening April 13, in the meeting room of the Dr. Moses Mason House. There were 16 in attendance. The suggestions of last meeting were reviewed and other projects proposed. Dale Thurston was selected to head an advisory committee on the event composed of persons who participated in the sesquicentennial celebration in August 1981. He was instructed to choose his own committee and report at the next meeting. Stan Howe was elected temporary secretary of the group and August 1, 2, 3, 1981 were discussed as possible dates for the festivities. A marathon, booths, antique show, pageant, parade, horse show, canoe races, Indian artifact exhibit, antique car show, military band, antique power show continued on Page Four

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Gould Spring Parents Week End April 25-27

April 25-27 marks the time for Gould Academy's Annual Spring Parents' Week End. Friday night will commence with the traditional parent-teacher conferences followed by a meeting of the Parents Association Executive Committee.

On Saturday a Careers Day will be held 9:30 to 11:10 a. m. in Hancosm Hall. This will consist of small seminar-style meetings of students and parents with professionals in a wide variety of fields. Over two dozen alumni, parents, and friends of Gould will speak about the educational requirements and opportunities in their respective vocations that include medicine, law, dentistry, veterinary medicine, the forest service, sales, banking, commercial art, accounting, nursing, business, engineering, science and government service.

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HEALTH EDUCATION PROGRAM, & AREA HEALTH CENTER TO SPONSOR CHILD CARE COURSE

The S. A. D. #44 Health Education Program and the Bethel Area Health Center have been co-sponsoring an adult education course on child care entitled "Instant Pediatrics". The focus of the course recognizes that most health care for children is provided by laypersons: parents, grandparents, teachers or day care workers and attempts to provide those enrolled with the knowledge and skills necessary to deal with many of the common problems of childhood. The course consists of six 2 1/2 hour sessions and combines lecture, demonstration, audio-visuals, questions and answer periods and clinical skills practice.

The course was developed and organized by Mary Ann O'Connor, Health Education Coordinator for S.A.D. #44 and Gerry O'Connor, Physician Assistant at the Bethel Area Health Center. They have also utilized guest instructors from the Child Health Center in Norway and the School Health Program as well as the Bethel Area Health Center. Some of the topics covered during the weekly sessions have included: infectious diseases, emergencies, common injuries and growth and development.

Persons interested in enrolling in the course in the future may contact Mrs. O'Connor at 824-2582.

Al-Anon and Alcoholics Anonymous—separate meetings—both at Bethel Savings Bank, Wednesdays, 8 p. m. No dues or fees. Emerg. or info., call 824-2253, 836-3222, 875-3992.

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JUST TO LIVE THINGS UP — last Saturday's festivities. They all Upper Cohas Picket Co. members so fired one of their small mortars, firing one of their cannon during using tennis balls as projectiles.

Last Saturday "Great Day for Patriots"

Patriot's Day in Bethel drew sunshine, enthusiasm and an appreciative crowd that lined Main Street to view a rousing parade and then swarmed onto the Common to hear Eric Wight in the uniform of a Continental Army Captain read greetings from the Sudbury (Massachusetts) Ancient Fife and Drum Company to the people of Bethel. Then, Richard Brooks, representing the Town of Sudbury, extended greetings and best wishes on the occasion from the town where Bethel's earliest organizational efforts formed in 1767. He also presented to the townspeople a collection of books and reports which included a book listing Sudbury's first settlers who came from England.

The afternoon parade consisted of nine units from Farmington, Oxford County and Coos County, New Hampshire, as well as from Bethel and Gould Academy. Jim Hudson and Virginia Kelly reenacted the roles of Paul Revere and Prescott to get the parade underway and to assemble the crowd while Dick Waterhouse sounded the call to assemble by ringing the bell of the West Parish Congregational Church. Nell Valentine, Bethel's oldest patriot in the parade, rode with her daughter.

Besides the parade and competitive events, the day's major attraction was the encampment of the Upper Cohas Picket Company on the Common which included authentic old cannon, a mortar, stocks, flintlocks, tents of the style used at Valley Forge and family members of the company dressed in clothes worn 200 years ago. Throughout the afternoon Bethel's national historic district resounded to the blasts of cannon fire as local people experienced the thrill of firing some of these old weapons.

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PLANNING BOARD APPROVES REVISED PROPOSAL FOR DOLE WOODS SUBDIVISION

Meeting on Wednesday, April 16, at the Town Office, the Bethel Planning Board elected officers for the new year. Dana C. Douglass, Jr., was re-elected chairman. Donald B. Eddy was elected vice-chairman, to preside in the chairman's absence or disqualification for any reason. George Allen, staff assistant, was re-appointed secretary. Mr. Eddy chaired the meeting during the discussion of the first item of business, a revised proposal for the Dole

Woods subdivision on the Bailey Road. Mr. Douglass is representing the applicant, the Oxford Land Company, and thus disqualified himself from presiding.

The new Dole Woods subdivision proposal was considered under the recently-adopted subdivision regulations. The new proposal is a scaled-down version of the proposal presented to the Planning Board in 1979. The size of the 1979 proposal, approximately 43 acres, made it subject to review by the State's Department of Environmental Protection. A question arose at the state level as to the safety of the intersection of Route 26 and the Bailey Road, site approval of the subdivision would allow increased development on the Bailey Road. The DEP refused approval of the 43 acre subdivision proposal.

The Bethel Planning Board had granted their preliminary approval of the Dole Woods subdivision as continued on Page Eight

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MRS. LIBBIE L. KNEELAND
Mrs. Libbie L. Kneeland of West Bethel, died Sunday morning, April 13, 1980 at Beverly, Mass.
She had taught for 32 years in the Bethel area and was a member of the Bethel area and was a member of the Church of Christ, Conway, N. H. At the time of her death, Mrs. Kneeland was in the process of writing the history of West Bethel. She was married to Roland H. Kneeland who died in 1977.
Surviving are three sons, Fred, Erick W. of Cherryfield; Reginald J. of Alexandria, Va., and R. Joseph of Ottawa, Can.; five daughters, Mrs. Beverly Haines, East Bethel; Mrs. Mary Tully, Beverly, Mass.; Mrs. Jane Smith, Fryeburg, Me.; Mrs. Gloria Young, Waterville, Me.; and Mrs. Suzanne Grover, Fryeburg; 24 grandchildren; and seven great grandchildren.
Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at the West Bethel Union Church. Eastern Star services were held Tuesday evening at the Greenleaf funeral home.

MRS. DOROTHY B. GREENLOW
Mrs. Dorothy B. Greenlow of South Andover died Tuesday, April 15, 1980, at the Rumford Community Hospital.
She was born in Buckfield, April 22, 1900, the daughter of Harry and Kate Warren Buck and had resided in the area since 1931. Mrs. Greenlow attended Buckfield Normal School, class of 1921. She had taught in North Rumford, Roxbury and Andover Elementary Schools for many years until her retirement.
Mrs. Greenlow was a member and past secretary of the Oxford County Retired Teachers. She was a member of Lone Mountain Grange, New Century Pomona Grange, Mt. Zion Chapter, OES, the Ladies Aid and a member and past secretary of the Friday Club. She was also a member of the Andover Congregational Church. She had been married to the late Stephen Abbott and then was married in Rumford Point in September of 1964 to Frederic W. Greenlow of South Andover who survives.
Also surviving are two sons, Phillip S. Abbott, Norway, and David F. Huntington, Brunswick; two daughters, Mrs. Mary French Eaton Center, N. H., and Mrs. Roberta Haney, Roselle, Ill.; 12 grandchildren, and 12 great-grandchildren.
Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon at the Andover Congregational Church with Rev. David Wuori officiating. Burial will be in Woodlawn Cemetery, Andover.

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West Paris

Mrs. Marian Chase, Corres. — Mrs. Cathy Bartlett is a patient at Stephens Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Edith Cram, Sanford, visited Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Cram over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Melville and Dennis, Woodland, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Proctor, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Black, their daughter, Marie, and family, visited Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Cole on the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Cram are visiting relatives in Sanford this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Vance Bacon's daughter Kathy and her husband, from Vermont, were guests of her parents over the week end.

Pat Lawrence is having a week's vacation from her work at Penley's mill.

On April 17 the West Paris Grange honored Ellis Ellingwood by presenting him with the Community Service Award. The Grange should be commended for showing appreciation to those who are community minded, while they are still with us.

Mr. Ellingwood is surely one of those people who love their town and has devoted much of his life in serving them.

He was one of their selectmen. He served on the budget committee and was chairman for several years. He served a short time on the school board. He was instrumental in getting the gymnasium and then served as president of the Alumni Association during most of the time in which it was being paid. He was also a little instrumental in getting the Snow Falls picnic area.

Ellis had a lot to do with getting the town water system and has served as one of the commissioners most of the time since. While doing so, he gave extra service such as planting trees near the pump and reservoir, which is town property, and has limbed and cared for them since.

Mr. Ellingwood has served as a fireman for many years, many in which he was either assistant chief or chief. In this category, too, he has gone beyond necessary duties, by shoveling out the hydrants and keeping the fire house clean and the lawns mowed and raked.

Ellis has served as clerk and vice president of the Oxford County Tel. and Tel.

Ellis is a Past Master of the Masonic Lodge and a Past Patron of the Eastern Star. He has given his services to the churches and organizations of the town. He helped the 4-H Club in various ways.

Mr. Ellingwood served his town, and neighboring towns, night and day, as electrician. Even though he was, and is, considered one of the best around, he kept his rates low to accommodate his townsmen.

Except for a short time during the war, Ellis has lived in West Paris all his life. He was worked hard all his life and much of his efforts have been to help and improve his town and the people who live there. He is married and has three children and 11 grandchildren. They are all very proud of him.

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From Washington

SENATOR WILLIAM COHEN

Recently, I testified before the Senate Foreign Relations Committee concerning the United States-Canadian East Coast Fishery Resources Agreement and its adjunct, the Maritime Boundary Settlement Treaty.

Last spring, after nearly 18 months of negotiation, Secretary of State Vance signed, and President Carter submitted to the Senate the two documents which make up the agreement. Their development can be traced to 1970 when American and Canadian officials met to discuss a continental shelf boundary which would determine jurisdiction over the seabed for oil and gas exploration.

When the United States enacted its 200-mile limit, and the Canadians followed suit later in 1976, the boundary had still not been agreed to. Had the two countries not agreed temporarily to permit fishermen of each country into waters of the other, traditional fishing patterns would have been disrupted. The interim agreement remained intact until June, 1978, when the Canadians, apparently in an effort to force progress in boundary negotiations, barred American vessels from Canadian waters.

The United States responded by barring Canadian vessels from undisputed American waters. This is where the situation remains today.

The controversy centers around the conservation and management agreement signed by Secretary Vance. The three major features of the agreement are:

1. A new joint commission equally divided among American and Canadian members, which would manage the North Atlantic fisheries of mutual interest.

2. Stipulation of how fish stocks are to be managed: By the commission, by one nation in accordance to a plan approved by both, or by one nation in accordance to its own domestic management policies.

3. Allocation to American and Canadian fishermen of the percentage of each covered stock which may be harvested, and the areas in the Gulf of Maine and the North Atlantic where the fish may be taken.

From the time this treaty was submitted to the Senate, I have emphasized that my decision of approval or disapproval would be based on how the provisions benefit Maine fishermen. After examining the evidence offered by the Administration and congressional studies, which I requested,

BETHEL BRIDGE CLUB

In a six table Howell movement, on April 18, the following were winners: 1. Woody Mercier, George Kimball; 2. Pearlina McMillin, Jay Willard; and a four-way tie for third, Bob and Suzi Crane, Dutch and Elaine Dresser, Horace and Lillian Irish, Laura and Ethel Kinnerman.

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S. A. D. #44—WEEK OF APRIL 28

Monday: American chop suey, green beans, fruit, hot cinnamon bun and milk.

Tuesday: Hot dog in home made bun, French fries, mixed vegetables, Jello with topping, milk.

Wednesday: Sloppy Joe on rice or biscuit, corn, fruit, biscuit and butter, milk.

Thursday: Fishburger, stewed tomatoes, cheese slice, fruit, milk.

Friday: Roast turkey and gravy (elementary), oven fried chicken (Telstar), mashed potato, peas, mixed desserts, mixed bread and butter, milk.

Songo Pond

— Mrs. Ralph Kimball, Corres. —

The sympathy of neighbors and friends is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bancroft on the loss of his brother, Guy Bancroft, who passed away Monday.

The ice went out of the pond last Wednesday, April 16. Several ducks and a big loon are enjoying the open water.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Anderson and son, David, and some of his friends drove to Manchester, N. H. Irene stayed with friends there while Bob and his friend drove the boys into Boston for their vacation trip to Florida this week.

Mrs. Muriel Kimball and son, Billy, of South Waterford, were week end visitors of Mrs. Howard Lapham and Timmie. Sunday afternoon they did some shopping in Conway, N. H. Other callers were Paul Arsenault and Alfred Small of Norway and Howard Crockett.

John Kallis was host to a group of about 20 men for their Bible study meeting Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Awaft of Augusta were in Bethel for the Patriots Day celebration and also called on her folks, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Doyen.

Mrs. Elmira Doyen with Miss Mary Wheeler attended the retired teachers meeting in Norway, Saturday.

Mrs. David Salway, Kassi and Brandon, Lisa and Dawn Newell, visited the Beans in Otisfield Monday to help Sarah Bean celebrate her birthday, then they went on to Lewiston to do some shopping.

Warren Parsons of Norway was a recent caller on his folks, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Parsons.

"We have careful thoughts for the stranger.

And smiles for the sometimes guest.

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The annual business meeting of West Bethel Union Church is to be held May 8 at 7 p. m.

Michael Stowell Sr. of Danbury, Conn., and Michael Stowell Jr. of Lisbon, N. H., and Miss Rosemary Stowell of Woburn, Mass., were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Stowell Jr.

Richard Farren of Gorham, N. H., called on his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lovejoy on Sunday.

Alfred Merrill was a patient at Stephens Memorial Hospital from Thursday through Saturday.

Peter Stowell and children of Rockland were Sunday callers on Mr. and Mrs. George Stowell, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Grover Jr. and family of Fryeburg were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Newton.

Paul Head entered the Rumford Community Hospital on Sunday afternoon. Cards will be appreciated.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Halle and family of Lisbon Falls were week-end guests of Mrs. Grace Morrill.

Sunday callers at the home of Mrs. Grace Morrill were Mr. and Mrs. George Gilbert of Bethel, and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Gilbert and Justin of Lewiston.

Jack Greig of Hartford, Maine, called on Mrs. Grace Morrill on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Head and girls were at their camp on White Brook over the week end.

Mrs. Barbara Wheeler, Mrs. Iva Hutchinson and Mrs. Mary Carroll were in Berlin, N. H., on Saturday evening for supper.

The frogs started peeping on Sunday night on the Flat Road, and Mrs. Ina Grover has sighted a pair of bluebirds.

Mrs. Sylvia Luxton, Jane and Scott Luxton of Gorham, Maine, and Mr. and Mrs. Michael Wheeler and family of Westbrook were week-end guests of Mrs. Hazel Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Loffreda of Portland were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Lovejoy.

On Saturday evening, Mrs. Maxine Lovejoy, Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Lovejoy and Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Loffreda attended the minstrel show at West Paris.

A baby shower was held on Saturday afternoon for Mrs. Nancy Grover at the home of Mrs. Elsie Aylward.

Mr. and Mrs. Alanson Cummings and Mrs. Cathryn Lovejoy were in Portland on Friday, Mrs.

CARD OF THANKS

My sincere thanks to my friends and students for the many cards, letters and flowers you sent during my recent stay in the hospital and recent convalescence in Philadelphia. It is nice to be home again.

Mrs. Audrey Taylor

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—Mrs. Marjorie Jodrey, Corres. —

A parcel post shower was held for Pam (Sidelinger) McBride at the Nuppula home on April 12. The special shower cake was made by Pam's mother, Ruth Sidelinger, also delicious refreshments were served. During the party a phone call was made to Pam in Anchorage, Alaska, and each guest spoke to her. Attending were Mrs. Florence Sidelinger, Mrs. Ruth Sidelinger, Gail Sidelinger, Heidi Snyder, Kathi Richardson, Mrs. Alyce Parsons, Mrs. Marie Nuppula and Harold Nuppula. Unable to attend but sending gifts were: Mrs. Jean Swasey, Mrs. Sue Milton, Mrs. Anne Fox and Mrs. Natalie Little-hale.

Heartfelt sympathy is extended to the family of Mrs. Dorothy Greenlow.

Charles A. Cutting was in Portland recently to attend an all-day "Probate Code Seminar" at the Holiday Inn sponsored by the Maine Bar Association. The seminar was designed to provide better understanding of the provisions and operations of the new Maine Probate Code that becomes effective Jan. 1, 1981. Mr. Cutting stayed overnight in South Windham with his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Cutting.

The Rumford Senior Citizens Group has extended an invitation to the Andover Senior Citizens to attend a special program presented by the U. S. Marine Corps, May 13, at the Rumford Community Center at 1 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry White, Main Street, are receiving congratulations on the birth March 31 of their first child, a son, Nicolas Peter. He is the second grandchild of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald White of South Andover.

Lloyd White, Andover's oldest citizen celebrated his 89th birthday at a family party at the home of a nephew on April 10.

Mrs. Rex Thurston and sons, Danny, Jon and Kurt, and Mrs. Walter Jodrey, left Saturday, to spend a few days visiting her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Humphrey in Manchester, N. H.

The Andover Historical Society will hold their next meeting at the Historical Building on April 28 at 7 p. m. All interested persons are welcome and are urged to attend.

Mrs. Marion Bodwell who spent the winter in Bethel with her son and family has returned to her home on Newton Street.

Mrs. Ruth Hilton and children, Kithery, are visiting her mother, Mrs. Eva Bodwell, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frankie Emerson,

Albany HUNT'S CORNER AND VICINITY

—Kathy Bennett, Corres. —

A few flakes of snow fell early this morning. Guess old man winter doesn't want to give up.

Albert and Elma McAllister attended the minstrel show in West Paris on Friday night. Thursday they attended Mahlon Grover's funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Kavanaugh are the proud parents of a new baby girl, Erin Eileen, born April 26.

Mrs. Kavanaugh's mother, Mrs. Ellen Jones of Burlington, Vt., is spending some time with her daughter and family.

Shirley Corbett spent Saturday evening with her mother Sarah Andrews.

Sunday dinner guests of Sarah Andrews were Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Andrews, and Kelly.

Carlton and Chris Rugg cut trees for Sarah on Sunday.

Monday Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Andrews and Ray and Lynn and

CARD OF THANKS

The family of Richard S. Walton wish to extend a sincere thank you to all the friends and neighbors who expressed their sympathy at the passing of our father. Special thanks go out to O. E. S. and the Masons for conducting their services.

Elizabeth Barnes
Gertrude Waldron
Richard Waldron Jr.

ANNUAL MEETING

To the Members of the Bethel Savings Bank Corporation
You are hereby notified that the annual meeting of the members of the Bethel Savings Bank Corporation will be held at the Bethel on May 8, 1980, at 6:30 p. m. All vacancies caused by the loss of membership or otherwise, to elect a Board of Trustees, and to transact any other business that may properly come before the meeting.

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North East Lovell

—Pauline Smith, Corres. —

Stephen Fox, Ernest Billings, Albert and Fred Fox worked on Steph's home, Sunday.

Paul Fox and family took dinner at Iva Fox's Saturday. Several of her children and their families came as it was Iva's birthday.

I had two flickers in our yard, one mourning dove, cowbirds and robins several. Guess this is truly spring.

Webster and Minnie McAllister made a dooryard call at the Smiths, Sunday.

Saturday, Edith Holt and granddaughter called on Marion Kendall.

Marion Kendall spent a few days with her oldest daughter, Es-ther Harriman, Fryeburg.

Kermit Merrill and family were at their home, Sunday.

Rummage Sale, May 16-17, time 9-2 o'clock at the Center Lovell United Church of Christ Vestry.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Smith had dinner out Wednesday with the Brad Crosbys.

Ed and Beverly Josephson entertained their children this week end from Massachusetts.

Geneva Charles is home from the hospital.

A nice service Sunday at our Church with a guest speaker. Good crowd, several new ones out. Our minister is on vacation for a few days.

Stephen Henderson and son, Mark, of South Portland, were here camp. Steph made two new chimneys last year.

Wendy Fox spent one night this week with Andra Longpre. Greg Fox spent a night at his grandparents, Iva Fox.

The smelts are running; still haven't heard the frogs.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Allen called on Hazel Allen. Flora Allen had dinner at Hazel's.

Lawrence Allen from Massachusetts came and took his mother, Hazel, to her cousin's funeral, Rodney Chase of Locke Mills, who died very suddenly.

Haverhill, Mass., were the week end guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Emerson, Sr.

It is sad to see another old barn being torn down—probably put up by a group of farmers on an elderly gentleman who attended one as a youngster—they were fun. Lots of goodies and a family affair. This barn is the one on the once Elliott Farm on the east side of the Ellis River in North Rumford, an old land mark.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Ward and Dale were Monday dinner guests of Sarah Andrews.

Spring activities are well under way at K-D's Acres. Everything is operating at present.

Thursday my sister-in-law, Jane Twitcheil and children, Ariana and Ben, spent the day with me.

Friday, Margaret Barton and I took my mother, Mrs. LaForest Twitcheil and aunt, Kay Billings, to Portland, shopping, for the day.

Saturday Danny Bennett and Mindy Robertson were two of the fourth graders from Crescent Park that attended the Shrine Circus.

Saturday night Dick and I attended the dance in Locke Mills. Sunday we walked over the mountain and visited with the Arthur Wardwells, and Fred and Libby Scribner.

David Bennett is spending the week with his grandparents in Bryant Pond.

Other callers here at K-D's Acres last week were Gus, Polly and Paul McAllister, Franklin Barton, Margaret Barton, Jimmy Barton, Mike Inman and my sister, Christine Cole.

CARD OF THANKS
This is to express my appreciation to everyone for their gifts and good wishes at my retirement parties last week. To the administration, staff, and all my co-workers at Telstar Regional High School, my sincere thanks, and also to my family and friends who gathered for another party on Sunday. Your thoughtfulness will long be remembered.

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Greenwood City

—Mrs. Colista Morgan, Corres. —

One escaped. It came swimming across the pond full of "spring" and happy that it could swim free again. As it neared the shore it flapped its tail and went beneath the surface. The muskrat was at home and so good to see it at play.

We are told that one swallow or two dandelions, or wild ducks swimming by the shore or even this muskrat doesn't make a spring. They surely help though.

Ruth and I took our first hike together the first of the week. It was a beautiful day even though the wind was roaring; just enough to cry and cry as it swayed branches and crossed the field; a wanderer who had come down half the world.

We followed the cart road through the farm fields toward the top of the hill.

A jet went floating out of sight, rolling space out; its white breath splitting the sky.

Near the top of the hill a song sparrow high in a tree bubbled a song unable to help itself. With mouth wide open it chortled its flow of notes to the end.

We kept straight up to the wall then turned right planning to find the road leading through the forest to the left then on to the Hayes Hill Road. We found it all right and also the mud. This decided us to turn back and face toward home.

Across the valley lay the mountains, dark growth and hard wood. These mountains with their aloofness can heal better than men.

They contain life both wild and tame that sticks to them. They are well watered "for all the little streams will hear April calling far and near. Slip their snowy banks and run sparkling in the welcome sun." These streams will flow to the rivers then to the sea.

The colors of gray, brown, and blue predominated; bleached brown fields, boulders, and a blue-eyed sky. Although like other Aprils, wan and disheveled they seemed to say, "We made it but that's all."

Our eyes framed a view beyond the valley where the sunlight was falling free. The landscape stirred. Down past the shadows we could see the pond and all the land beyond. We looked at cliffs and clouds with quiet eyes, watched the wind bow the trees and the trees rise again.

Danny, my 10 year old nephew, who had gone with us had hurried ahead and was far down the hill. He could no longer slow his steps to match ours.

Reaching the farm we added three more to our group to go and visit Sanborn Falls. They were gushing white, very much alive and very responsive carrying the extra water of the recent rains.

The day and skies were as clear as a youngster's eyes reminding us of sunny days ahead and may the beauty of Nature fill every day.

Our callers have been Dorothy Curtis, Kathy Curtis, Local; Ruth Hastings, South Paris; Dale and Marcia Mills, Shapleigh; Lucy Bragg, West Sumner.

Ann Holt, Bethel, was at her parents' home here on Sunday then went to Portland to stay for

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South Woodstock

—Olive Davis, Corres. —

Jerry Verrill and Keith Hadley flew to Florida, the 8th of April for a week's vacation. They will visit Keith's brother, Dale Hadley, who has been in Florida all winter. Jerry and Keith will return April 16. The two have work at the laundry in Norway.

This has been a busy week here. Wednesday I was in Rumford on business. Thursday, Richard Felt was here to saw a pile of slabs for me. I painted the upper part of my kitchen early that morning and Friday, Verna Swan was here. She invited me to go with her, Mary Knights and Mildred Poulin to Livermore for the Tri-County Senior Citizens meeting in the afternoon. In the evening Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brooks took Verna and me to Oxford Grange C.W.A. special meeting where we girls held offices. Saturday, I went with Lettie Brooks and Colista Morgan, and Gladys Ellingsworth to Retired Teachers at Norway. In the evening Carl and Lettie Brooks took Richard and Barbara Felt and me to Turner where we attended the Grange. Carl and Richard had a number (music) on the program. Lettie and I did, too.

The frogs have come out of their winter hibernation and are busy singing at night. It must be smelts are running.

Some have reported that the frost is still in the ground but the ice is out of some of the ponds now. The Greenwood pond is still holding on.

The last few days the temperature has been done in the 20's every morning. I saw a white throated sparrow out here Saturday morning. I haven't seen a tree swallow yet which has been reported other places. I wonder why as I have always had them early.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Demarest took a trip to the Bahama Islands the first of the month. They returned home the 8th. They visited overnight with Don's sister in Framingham, Mass., on each end of the tour.

Dorothy Hooper attended Retired Teachers at Norway Saturday.

the night with her friend, Nancy Hutton. She plans to visit Zilpha DiArenzo and family at Springfield, Pa., a few days, flying from Portland, Monday morning.

On Tuesday afternoon Club Eight spent a social time at the home of Doris Hayes. We were sorry that Helen Chojnacki and Evelyn Tamminen were unable to be with us. Fay Holt was the winner of the hostess gift. I attended the Retired Teachers meeting at Norway on Saturday.

Mr. Frazier from Massachusetts, was at his camp over the week end.

At the Hayes Homestead — Del and Betsy Hayes, Auburn, were there on Saturday. Glenn and Kerry Hayes, Gray, came on Sunday and stayed through Monday to help get firewood and Scot Hayes, West Paris, was also there to help.

Doris Hayes attended the banquet for the Sunday Night Bowling League which took place on Saturday evening.

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North Paris

—Eveline Barrett, Corres. —

The school children are on vacation until April 28.

Mrs. Florence Hlay and grandson, Scott, are spending the vacation in Amesbury, Mass.

We were sorry to hear that Mrs. Claude Cushman, Bryant Pond, and Mrs. Evelyn Herrick, West Sumner, were in intensive care unit at the Norway hospital. They are gaining slowly and are in the regular ward at this time.

I picked up some books and went to the Book Swap. I picked up my sister-in-law, Agnes Coffin, at Milton, did a bit of shopping. Roads were washed out on the shoulders due to the heavy rain on Thursday. Lovely day. I also called on my brother, Arthur Coffin, and Gertrude.

Mr. and Mrs. Root Lawrence were at Dr. Sokol's Thursday, and Doris also had a date with her eye doctor, Dr. Masters. They

INDIAN RAID BICENTENNIAL

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play, fireworks, and a black powder muster were among those things suggested. It was suggested that organizations be contacted to see what activity they might like to sponsor and take on as a project. Three representatives from the Upper Cohas Picket Company were present and made many helpful suggestions on attracting units interested in demonstrating 18th century military skills as well as providing insights into life in that century.

It was decided to establish a steering committee at the next meeting and possibly choose a chairman for the event, to be held Sunday, May 11, 1980, in the Moses Mason House meeting room at 7:30 p. m.

Those attending the meeting were Ernest Perkins, Jody Shimamura, Ronald Snyder, Dale Thurston, Donald Bennett, Richard Fraser, Lawrence Bartlett, Helen Morton, Geraldine Howe, Arlene Brown, Donald Brown, Rodney Howe, Stanley Howe, and representing Upper Cohas Picket Company, Bob Ross, Ed Bock, Leo Guerin.

WALKING WITH JESUS CHRIST

Okay, let's talk it over—as the Bible says "let's reason together."

There you go, using Bible terms—it's old fashioned—lost it's meaning—doesn't apply to today—all those "thees and thous" and that stuff.

Old fashioned?—guess you have something there—like it says in Romans 10:15—"how beautiful are the feet that bring glad tidings of good things"—yes sir, in the old days it traveled at four miles an hour; but wait—today it goes at 186,000 miles per second—so fast that it's no sooner spoke than it's heard on transistor radio by the traveler on camel back!

But it's history of things that have happened and yet you say it tells of things to come.

That's correct—and much of that which was told has already come—as Grand-dad says—things sure changed—they're different alright—just get married and stayed married—you didn't hear barn yard language on radio and T.V. Lots of things changed, my dear—in seven years gold went from \$80 to \$800 an ounce and now oil is more valuable than gold.

Alright then, tell me what more will happen—according to the Bible.

Okay—men's hearts will be troubled and destruction will fall upon nations—Luke 21—wars and rumors of wars, earthquakes, famines, pestilences—fearful signs, and many people will come saying "I am the Christ"—Matt. 24—that foolishness—filth—unholy sex—Heb. 13—adulterers—effeminate—I Cor. 6:9—pornography—drugs—and drunkenness, all will increase and people will wonder and ask—What are these things?

Yes, I see these things now, what else?

A few more—before God tires of the world's nonsense—"and I will not let them pollute my holy name any more; and the nation's shall know that I am the Lord, the Holy One in Israel." Ezek. 39.

Jesus said, He will return—are you ready?

Even so, come, Lord Jesus—Rev. 22:20.

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BOOKS PRESENTED TO BETHEL BY SUDBURY, MASS.

Richard F. Brooks who represented the Town of Sudbury, Mass., at Saturday's celebration of Patriot's Day presented the people of Bethel with three volumes about Sudbury which are now available in the Bethel Library.

The first volume is: "Puritan Village—Formation of a New England Town" by Sumner Chilton Powell. It contains an appendix which lists the names of Sudbury's first settlers (1638) and their place of origin in England as well as the appropriate references. This book is inscribed as follows: "19th of April 1980. Presented to the citizens of Bethel, Maine on the occasion of their celebration on the 250th anniversary of the battles of Concord and Lexington, Massachusetts by the citizens of Sudbury, Massachusetts. Richard F. Brooks Representing the Town of Sudbury."

The second volume is entitled "This Is Sudbury" by the League of Women Voters. It contains amongst other contemporary information and facts a brief overall history of Sudbury which mentions the call in the 1600's for Sudbury men to fight in Canada during England's war with France.

The third volume is the 340th Annual Report of the Town of Sudbury.

OBSERVATION OF BOTH NEEDED FOR AUTO/BICYCLE HIGHWAY SAFETY

Increased motorist alertness and observation are needed to help prevent accidents with bicyclists.

"Driver scanning patterns primarily include moving vehicles, but frequently overlook bicyclists, resulting in tragedy," said Colonel Allan H. Weeks, Chief of the Maine State Police.

One way to not overlook bicyclists, said Col. Weeks, is for motorists to remain alert for bike riders and respect their right to the road.

Erratic and illegal maneuvers by bicyclists in unexpected places create hazardous situations—such as exiting from driveways or side-walks on to public roads and failing to stop or yield at controlled intersections.

According to Weeks, "There is no better time than now to remind citizens that bicycle safety is everyone's job—especially as more people take to the road for fun, physical fitness, energy conservation and transportation."

The state police advised in addition to following the "rules of the road" that bicyclists should make sure:

—Handlebars and seats should always be adjusted to fit the bike driver and then tightened.

—Chains should always be kept lightly oiled, and brakes should always be checked before going out on the bicycle.

—Tire treads should be checked to make sure there are no stones or glass bits lodged between them.

According to the Maine State Police, the following are some of the "rules of the road" for bicyclists that also result in safer riding.

1—Signal for turns and stops; and, obey all traffic signs, signals and rules.

2—Yield right of way to pedestrians.

3—Drive solo: only one person on a bicycle, unless it is a bicycle built for more than one.

4—Keep feet on the pedals at all times; and, keep both hands on the handlebars, except when signaling.

5—Drive with traffic in single file—close to the right-hand side of the roadway and watch for opening car doors.

6—Equip bike with headlight to the front and red reflector to the rear—both to be seen for a distance of at least 200 feet; also a horn or a bell.

7—Drive carefully, especially on wet or slippery roads.

8—Keep safe following distance—never hitch onto other moving vehicles.

9—Be sure road is clear before entering.

10—Keep off busy roads/streets until you can bicycle well.

AIRMAN JOHN SYLVESTER STATIONED IN ITALY

Airman First Class John A. Sylvester, son of Beverly L. Sylvester of Andover, has arrived for duty at Rimini Air Base in Aviano, Italy. Airman Sylvester, a security specialist, was previously assigned at Pease Air Base, N. H. He is a 1969 graduate of Telstar Regional High School, Bethel.

His father, Walter E. Sylvester, Sr., resides in Rumford.

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to thank the Bethel Fire Department for their prompt response to our chimney fire Monday night and Mr. Herick for alerting us.

Stanley and Elizabeth Lord



SHAKESPEARE AT GOULD

On Saturday, April 26, at 8 p. m., well-known actor Duncan Inches will present "Shakespeare on Shakespeare" in Gould Academy's William Bingham Hall Auditorium.

Inches, associated with the Bay Colony Concert Company in Waltham, Mass., is a graduate of the University of Arizona and has studied at Stratford-On-Avon in England. He has acted in the University of New Hampshire Summer Repertory Theatre, the Theatre Guild of New York, Theatre West in Los Angeles, and in other theatre groups in Boston, St. Louis and Tucson, Ariz. His credits include "Jaws," "Gatsby," "Paper Chase," "Adams Chronicles" and over 60 films and 30 film and TV segments.

With his beard and hair styles, the balding Inches looks very much like Shakespeare. Clad in standard stage Elizabethan costume, he appears on stage seated at a table surrounded by books, parchments and other props. The script draws from about half of Shakespeare's 30-some-odd-plays, a few of his sonnets, the small pool of biographical data about him, and the vast sea of rumor which has grown up over the centuries.

"Shakespeare on Shakespeare" will be a fitting finale to a week-end Elizabethan Festival held at Gould for Spring Parents' Week End.

The public is cordially invited to see and hear Duncan Inches. There is no admission charge, but donations will be accepted.

In and About Bethel

Charles D. Merrill is recuperating at his home following a stay at Stephens Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Saunders have returned home after spending the winter in Pinellas Park, Fla.

Miss Nancy Buswell is spending this week visiting her sisters, Alison in Lewiston, and Brenda in Augusta.

Mrs. Edward Wheeler returned home Wednesday after spending several days as a patient at Stephens Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Bangs and family of Hermon returned home Wednesday following a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Keniston.

Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Faudi were their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip C. Faudi of Turner. They all enjoyed supper at the Odd Fellows Hall, Saturday evening.

Week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earlon Paine were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Paine and children, Barre, Vt., Mr. and Mrs. Michael Lawthers, Lexington, Mass., and Ricky Jackson, South Paris.

Mrs. Lois Tenney and Mark Standish, were week end guests of her mother, Mrs. Jane Van.

An omission in the honor roll released last week by Telstar Regional High School is deeply regretted by the school office staff. Penelope Bean, grade 11 should have been included on the honors list.

Mary Byrd (Woolfolk) and Paul Farrar of 25 Grant St., Portland, are announcing the birth of a daughter, Anna Cody Woolfolk-Farrar at the Maine Medical Center on Sunday, April 20. The baby weighed eight pounds and measured 21 1/2 inches long.

Recent visitors at the Citizen office include a den of Cub Scouts and a journalism class from S. A. D. #44. On Thursday of last week, Mrs. Cindy Blake and Mrs. Lillian Conant brought their Cub Scouts to view operations in the printing department. On Friday afternoon, S. A. D. #44 students, accompanied by instructors, Mrs. Denise Brown and Mrs. Judith Kersey, toured the plant, viewing the complete letterpress printing operation from hot type composition to printing and folding of the newspaper.



SENIOR WINNERS in the Patriot's Day Art Contest — Front: Kathy Bennett, sponsor; Brent (left) Denise Gauthier, second, Bachelder, winner.



JUNIOR WINNERS at the Patriot's Day Art Contest — Left to right: Kathy Bennett, sponsor; Brian Colby, winner; Tommy James, third place; Jacob Barron, second place, was absent.

Church Services

Bethel United Methodist Church
Rev. Millett Cummings
Interim Pastor
Organist, Mrs. Susan Gilnes
Administrative Board Chairman,
Richard L. Davis

Sunday:
9:30 a. m. Sunday School
10:30 a. m. Morning Worship
Nursery during worship service.
UMW—first Thursday of each month.

Anyone needing prayers of church members or knowing of someone in need please call Mrs. Burton Abbott, Mrs. Wallace Saunders or Mrs. Ronald Stevens.

West Parish Congregational United Church of Christ
Church St., Bethel
Rev. Thomas L. Caton, Pastor
Miss Mary E. Valentine, Minister of Music

Sunday:
9:15-10:15 a. m. Church School for Nursery (3's and 4's) through grade 5; adult study.
10:30 a. m. Morning worship.
Child care provided.
Monday, March 31, 6 p. m. Family Lenten Supper at the Church.
Wednesday: 6-7:30 p. m. Youth Fellowship for grades 6-12. Supper included.

Our Lady of the Snows
Rte. 26, Bethel
Rev. Donald R. Proulx
Saturday: Anticipated Mass, 4:30 p. m.

Bethel Gospel Center of Christian & Missionary Alliance
D. N. Larson, Pastor

Sunday:
Sunday School, 9 a. m., three year olds through adults.
Babysitting for all children under five years during Church.
Morning Worship, 10 a. m.
Evening Service, 6 p. m.
Monday: Youths, men and women Bible Studies, 7 p. m.

Ladies' Bible Study, Tuesdays, 9:30 a. m. — for location call: 824-2859. Babysitting.
Wednesday, 7 p. m.: Prayer and Bible Study.
Thursday, 6:30 p. m. Youth Bible Study at Bruce Swan's.

Bethel Church of the Nazarene
Church Street
John Smith, Supply Pastor

Sunday:
Sunday School (for all ages including adults), 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship, 11 a. m.
Wednesday: Prayer Meeting, 7 p. m.

For transportation or information to any service call 875-2924.

West Bethel Union Church
B. R. Griffith, Pastor
Mrs. Harriett Stowell, Organist

Sunday:
Sunday School, 9 a. m.
Morning Worship, 10 a. m.
Tuesday: Church Rehearsal, 6-7 p. m.; Bible Study, 7 p. m.

Locke Mills Union Church
Rev. David Wuori
Mrs. Richard Melville, Organist

Church Services, 9:00 a. m.
Ladies Circle meets every third Wednesday at 1:30 p. m.
Bible Study, Thursday nights 8 p. m. Everyone welcome.

Bryant Pond Baptist Church
Pastor: Linwood Hanson

Sunday:
9:15 Sunday School
10:30 Worship Service
6:00 Youth and Adult Service
Wednesday — 7:00 Bible Study and Prayer meeting.

Universalist Church of Bryant Pond
Herbert G. Weeks, Pastor
Christine K. Hefley, Organist

Sunday: Service of Worship.
10:30 p. m.

Letters to the Editor

To the Editor:

My thanks to all those who helped in celebrating Patriot's Day last Saturday. Besides the organized groups from outside of Bethel, a number of groups and individuals helped in forming the parade and assisted in ways which allowed the afternoon's events to be very successful. Response to the whole affair and especially the contests was much greater than I had estimated.

Eric Wight receives a special thanks for his absolutely splendid job in bringing living history to our school kids. We had a chance to visit every school in the District, except Andover where the students did, however, enter the art contest, plus Gould Academy. If there is a prize to be awarded for the most knowledgeable questions coming out of these visits, it would have to go to Woodstock Elementary School.

As a result of this celebration, we have in some cases renewed ties with the world outside of Bethel and in other cases established some new ties. Our cultural links with the town from which Bethel's origins derive, Sudbury, Mass., have been substantially strengthened and I hope that everyone who is interested in our history will stop by the Bethel Library to see the books and reports so graciously presented to Bethel by the Town of Sudbury.

The enthusiasm shown by members of the Upper Cohas Picket Company from the Gorham-Berlin area as well as their professionalism in creating tools, equipment and weapons from 200 years ago gave the day's events what I would call a touch of class beyond what most of us had anticipated when planning for Patriot's Day first began.

Sincerely,
Donald G. Bennett

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WOMEN'S WORKSHOPS ON SELF BREAST EXAMINATION

TO BE HELD APRIL 30 & MAY 1

Breast cancer is the number one cancer among women in this country. Each year there are 90,000 new cases and 33,800 deaths due to breast cancer.

Effective treatment depends on early diagnosis. The best way to do this is by monthly breast self examination (BSE), together with medical check-ups that include mammograms (breast x-rays).

Breast cancer occurs most often among women of middle age; it is the leading cause of death in women ages 40 to 44. But it can strike any women of any age, so BSE should be established as a lifetime habit when girls reach high school age.

The Bethel Area Health Center in conjunction with Telstar Health Coordinator Mary Ann O'Connor, is presenting a workshop for women of all ages on learning how to perform BSE. The two hour workshops include: a movie from the American Cancer Society, a tape about mammography, and a demonstration of techniques for BSE on a plastic model. Workshops will be held on Wednesday, April 30, at 7 p. m. at the Telstar Library, and Thursday, May 1, at 1 p. m. at the Methodist Church, Bethel. For more information contact Kathie Tremblay at the Health Center, 824-2193.

Learn BSE—it could save your life.

LOCAL MERCHANTS THANKED FOR DONATIONS TO RSVP

Once a year RSVP (Retired Senior Volunteers Program) takes a day to give special thanks to those wonderful people who volunteer so much to so many worthy causes. RSVP volunteers are truly "Good Samaritans."

This year's luncheon will again be held at Murray Hall in Livermore Falls. Murray Hall's facilities are donated for this occasion.

Governor Brennan will be the featured speaker at the luncheon. I would like to thank the local merchants who donated such lovely gifts for door prizes at this event. Prim's, Duck's Western Auto, Early Real Estate, Fashion Basket, and Brooks Brothers, all Bethel establishments, have shown that they value the involvement of the Senior Citizens within their community.

I feel privileged to be working with RSVP.

Jo Anne May Walters
RSVP Area Coordinator

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Do you need a little help with spring cleaning, painting or yard work? Responsible teenagers need a chance to show their capabilities. Please feel free to call 836-3106.

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B.E.A.R.S., Inc.

(Bethel Emergency Ambulance & Rescue Service)

The B.E.A.R.S. held their monthly meeting Monday evening, April 21, at 7 p. m. Special guest speaker for the evening was Ken Whitman from Civil Emergency Preparedness Dept., who explained the hazards of radiation and the effects of exposure to the human body.

The next E.M.T. — Advanced First Aid Refresher Class will be held Sunday, April 27, at 1 p. m. Abdominal Injuries and Illnesses and Injuries to the Pelvis. References: A.A.O.S., Chapt. 19, pgs. 161-162; Chapter. 25, 26, and 27, also Study Guide—Module #16.

Safety Tip of the Week:

Rabies and What You Should Know:

Here are a few facts about rabies that all pet owners should be aware of:

—Wild animals are the primary carriers of rabies. Skunks, bats, foxes, raccoons and rodents, in particular, are often rabid.

—All warm-blooded animals, including humans, are susceptible to rabies.

—There is no particular season or climate in which rabies is more common.

—The disease is almost 100% fatal.

—Modern rabies vaccines for cats and dogs are safe, relatively inexpensive, and most important, highly effective.

Preventing Rabies

The single most important thing you can do to protect your family and your pet against rabies is vaccination.

Both cats and dogs should start receiving rabies vaccines before they are six months old, and will need booster shots at regular prescribed intervals, advised by your veterinarian, throughout their lifetimes if they are to remain fully protected.

How Rabies is Transmitted

The rabies virus, present in the saliva of an infected animal, is usually transmitted by a bite. But research has recently established that the virus can also enter an animal's bloodstream through a break in the skin or via the mucous



membranes of the mouth, nose or eyes.

The first sign of rabies is usually a complete change in personality and behavior. A shy animal may become excessively affectionate and bold, for instance, or a normally outgoing pet may become unusually withdrawn. Cats almost always hide during the entire acute stage of rabies.

After a day or two of this abnormal behavior, the disease will progress into either furious or dumb rabies.

Furious rabies is characterized by hyperactivity—at this stage an animal may wander far from home. The slightest noise or movement will provoke an attack, and causes saliva to drool, hence the image of a mad dog "frothing at the mouth" and snapping and biting at everything. This same throat paralysis often causes the animal's voice to change. A rabid animal in the furious stage seems to be insensitive to pain, and develops enormous strength.

Although dumb rabies often follows the furious stage, it can occur alone. There is no hyperactivity, only paralysis, which usually starts in the animal's lower jaw, and spreads quickly throughout the lower body, ending in death when the vital organs are affected.

What to Do If You Are Bitten

You should follow the usual

procedure of thoroughly washing the wound with soap and water, and inspecting it daily for signs of infection. If you or a member of your family is bitten by a pet which has been vaccinated, you should still consult a doctor. He may advise that the animal be checked by a veterinarian and insured for 10 or more days to be sure that no rabies symptoms develop.

If someone is bitten by a strange or a wild animal, it's very important to capture the animal, so that tests and laboratory analysis can be done to determine if it is rabid. Otherwise, the victim will automatically have to undergo the painful rabies prevention series.

Report any strange-acting cats, dogs or wild animals to your veterinarian or local health officials. Stray cats



"NORTHERN NEW ENGLAND GEOLOGY" COURSE OFFERED TO GOULD STUDENTS

A term course entitled, "The Geology of Northern New England" is being offered by Science teacher Al Barth to Gould Academy students this spring. In addition to the traditional full year science courses, such as biology, chemistry, physics and forestry that are taught at Gould, the Science Department offers a number of term courses covering a wide range of subjects including anthropology, animal behavior, botany, human anatomy and physiology, medicine, natural history, ornithology, parasitology and wildlife biology. Barth teaches archaeology in the fall, astronomy during the winter term, and geology each spring.

The geology is designed to be a look at the shape of the land and its underlying rock structures through the extensive use of field trips, field work and laboratory exercises. It attempts to answer such questions as "Why is the land the way it is?", "What were the forces that shaped the land?", "What will the land be like in the future?", and "How is this relevant in today's atmosphere of environmental awareness?"

Since all of Maine underwent extensive glaciation during the great Pleistocene ice age that ended 13,500 years ago, the field trips are heavily oriented in this direction. One such trip visited a gravel pit in Newry that represents an esker, a glacial stream deposit that was left behind as the glacier retreated northward through Grafton Notch. Further evidence of this great meltdown of ice are the large pot holes worn in the rock at Screw Auger Falls. The most prominent one, called The Jail, is located a short distance above the falls and is 30 feet in diameter and 15 feet deep. At present the only water to flow through it is rainwater. Other trips included the Pinkham Notch-Mt. Washington area, Snow Falls on Route 26 in West Paris, and Coos

BOOKMOBILE SCHEDULE
The Harrison Area Bookmobile will make the following stops on April 28: Hanover—Howe's Store, 3:00-3:20; Albany—Town Hall, 4:00-4:20.

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PERSONAL SHOWER HONORS FORMER BETHEL LADY

Mrs. Paul Doucette, the former Frances Thurston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Thurston of Bethel, was honored late Sunday afternoon at a personal shower at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chester C. Bean of Bryant Pond. Mr. Doucette and Mr. and Mrs. Thurston were present as well as guests who were invited: Mrs. Hugh Thurston, Mrs. Leland Brown, Miss Karen Brown, Mrs. Annie Hastings and friend Joan of Falmouth, Mrs. Louise Lincoln, Mrs. Donald Brown, Mrs. George Nickerson, Mrs. Archie Young Jr., Mrs. Earlon Paine, Mrs. Donald Brooks, Mrs. Gary York, Mrs. Richard Bryant, Mrs. Pearlline McMillin, Mrs. Mary Carroll, Mrs. Floyd Thurston, Mrs. Bertha Thurston, Mrs. Ruth Grover, Mrs. Wallace Saunders, Mrs. Elden Hathaway, Mrs. Brian Stowell, and Mrs. Bruce Glines. The honor guest was presented a corsage by

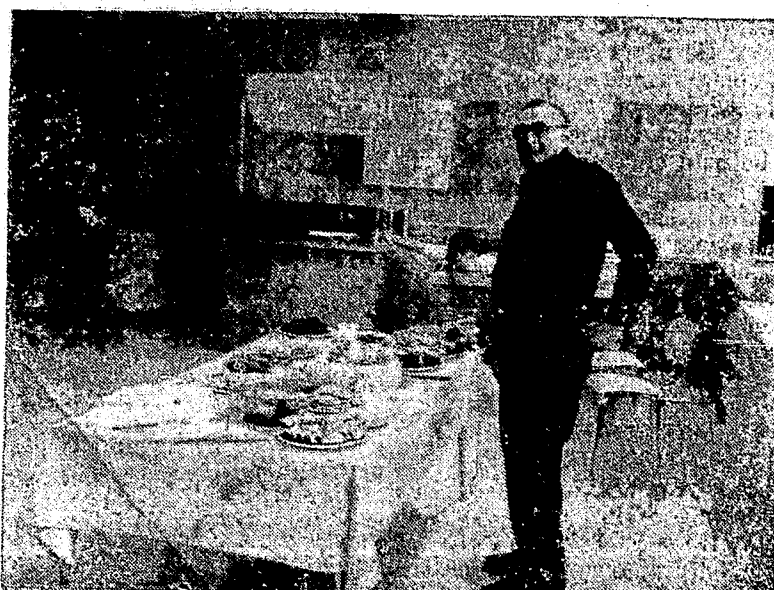
UMW MEETING, THURS., MAY 1

United Methodist Women will meet on Thursday, May 1, at the home of Mrs. Verna Dyke. A pot luck luncheon will be served at noon with members furnishing a hot dish or salad. The afternoon program will be furnished by the Vongsay family.

PINE TREE LEAGUE BASEBALL

There will be a practice for all those interested in playing for the Bethel Pine Tree League team on Saturday, April 26, at 5:30 p. m. on the Gould Academy upper baseball field.

her father and many beautiful and practical gifts by her friends and former classmates. Mr. and Mrs. Doucette were week-end guests of her parents in Bethel. Mrs. Doucette is a school teacher in the Portland area. Refreshments of coffee, tea and fancy finger foods were served by the hostess.



MALCOLM MUNDT, custodian at Telstar Regional High School was honored at a retirement party on Thursday, April 17. The administration, faculty, and staff gathered in the Home Economics room and surprised Mac. He was presented a money tree and various gifts. Malcolm Mundt has been employed at Telstar for 11 years.



"UNDERSTANDING CANADA" COURSE LAST SESSION HELD APRIL 15

The S. A. D. #44 Adult Education Course "Understanding Canada" had its final session Tuesday evening April 15, at the Moses Mason House. The class was preceded by a meal featuring favorite Canadian dishes, including pork pie Tortiere, scalloped turnip and apple, split pea soup, French meat pie, custard, Old English Trifle, The Queen's Muffins, Maritime cornmeal muffins, along with tea and Canadian beer.

The six week course was conducted by Stanley R. Howe, who was awarded a Ph.D. in Canadian studies by the University of Maine

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NOTES FROM Evans Notch

White Mountain National Forest

The heavy rains of two weeks ago left many Forest roads in poor condition. The Harriman Brook Road and the Patte Brook Road had several impassible stretches and were scheduled for repair this past week. Other Forest roads are passable, however, caution should be used when traveling there until they are maintained this spring.

This past week, the District Young Adult Conservation Corps crew continued its work on widening the airport runways. This project should be completed by next week. Crews will then begin preparing the campgrounds and Gil-lead picnic area for their opening to public use on May 15.

Michael Kaplan, District Senior Community Service Program (SCSEP) employee, continues to maintain and prepare signs for the upcoming recreation season. Sign maintenance is a large task with over 200 signs on the Evans Notch Ranger District. Signs are public property, and when they are vandalized, our tax dollars are required to pay for the repair or replacement of those signs. Fortunately, the Mike Kaplan helps to keep the

TOUCHING UP one of the many signs maintained by the U. S. Forest Service in the White Mountain National Forest is Mike Kaplan. A Senior Community Service Program employee, Mr. Kaplan saves the Evans Notch District many dollars in replacement costs by repairing signs often vandalized by thoughtless individuals.

cost down by doing a professional job in the repair and maintenance of the signs. Without his services a good portion of the signs Mike repairs would have to be replaced at much higher cost.

The SCSEP Program in which Mike Kaplan works is part of a program funded by the U. S. Department of Labor of which the Forest Service and White Mountain National Forest is a sponsor. Other members in this program are James Everett, Jr., Tom Bartholomew, Joe Provencher, and R. G. (Pat) Murphy. Buildings, grounds, equipment, recreation sites, and wildlife habitat improvement sites are some of the things maintained by the SCSEP crew. Floyd Dailey, crew supervisor is pleased with his "top-notch" crew and says, "they provide valuable service to the White Mountain National Forest and the people of the United States."



EMPLOYEES of the Evans Notch Ranger District, under the Senior Community Service Program, are busy with various clean up and maintenance jobs in many areas of the White Mountain National Forest. Members of the crew are, from left to right, Tom Bartholomew, James Everett, Jr., and Pat Murphy. Not in the photo was Joe Provencher.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of Libbie L. Kneeland wishes to thank friends and neighbors in Bethel and West Bethel for all the many loving kindnesses shown to us, during our recent bereavement.

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Northwest Bethel — Sun

Clarice Gibson, Corres.

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Sunday River

Mrs. R. M. Fleet, Corres.

Sent in by Eva Yates:

A snowy Tuesday morning. That's right, snow. But it's not too cold and I feel the sun will shine in due time. The robins are here and the blackbirds and people are stilling hauling water, Sunday, we saw the young ladies out in their shorts and were told someone had planted peas. Guess we will wait a bit—our ground is not thawed yet so we can dig parsnips and we do have plenty to dig. And are they ever good baked with a bit of what we have to call butter—not the real thing.

People are having cook outs—cleaning the yards and scrubbing the poor old houses—hoping for a sunny day.

Peggy Blake and Viva Whitman arrived home a bit earlier than expected—they got to Viva's home in Norway on Sunday night. Peggy arrived in Bethel Monday and visited her daughters, Myrna Carter and Loretta Merrill, and families Monday P. M.

Verna Swan of Bryant Pond called to see Joe and Eva on Monday. She also visited with Julia Fleet.

Wednesday, April 16 — Our Rawleigh lady was around with her wares—all kinds of cleaners to help women to clean house but no elbow grease. They never yet have invented spray cans of old-fashioned elbow grease. Don't forget Elsie's "Seven Dust" for the garden and it's even good for fleas on your dog. Can't be beat.

Monday night — Eva and Joe Yates and Peggy Blake attended the special Grange program at Franklin Grange and Lenwood Andrews was awarded the Outstanding Citizenship Award. If anyone deserves it that gentleman does—he sure is a friend to all. His kindness and services are known far and wide.

Eva and Joe spent Sunday afternoon with the Herman Cole family at North Woodstock. For all they are both (Herman and Flora) handicapped, we found them quite well and happy.

Bear River Grange will meet April 26 at the hall for a 6:30 pot luck supper and meeting at 7:30. The latch string is out, so don't hang back.

There is still lots of traffic on the river.

a surprise baby shower by Elaine Hutchins, Marjorie Conner and Esther Buck. A baby shower cake was made by Sally Smith. Guests were Mary, Kelly and Sheri Dooen, Cindy and Barbara Wakefield, Helen Smith, Phyllis Smith, Patricia and Charles Dyer from Franklin, N. H., Louise Kimball, Donna Blackstone, Alberta Pickering from Meredith, N. H., Robin Gunderson, Polly Davis and Kathy Heath, on April 20.

Shilo Hutchins, April 16, had her friend Amos Fox come home on the bus with her and spend the evening. Mrs. Elaine Hutchins took him back home to Bethel.

Jennifer Buck is spending school vacation with her grandmother, Mrs. Marjorie Conner.

Pat Anderson and Elaine Hutchins went to Rumford to see "The Great Late Planet Earth" on April 16.

Shilo Hutchins, Amy, Mary Beth Hannon, went to dance recital practice, April 21.

No Day is Lost

Some times you feel discouraged When evening shadows come And you look back, regretting The "little" that you've done. Apparently the losses Far outweigh the gain. And wearily you question, "Have I lived this day in vain?" Remember this—no day is lost. In which you've tried to share The blessed news that Jesus saves And spent some time in prayer For others. For your Father knows Your heart. He paid the cost. Remember—if you've done your best For Him—no day is lost!

—Alice Hansche Mortenson

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East Bethel

Mrs. David Foster, Corres.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Howe attended the minstrel show in South Paris, Saturday.

Mrs. Floribel Haines and Mrs. Lillian Bartlett attended the Retired Teachers' meeting in Norway, Saturday.

Miss Dorothy Bartlett was in Boston over the week end.

Mrs. Alice Bourne of Ogunquit and sister, Frances, of Naples; Mrs. Harry Bartlett and son, Otis, of Berlin, N. H.; Mrs. Sylvia Conroy, Mrs. Iva Hutchinson and Mrs. Barbara Wheeler of Bethel were Sunday guests at the Bartlett Homestead.

Miss Robert Hastings attended a bridal shower for her granddaughter, Miss Brenda Bancroft, in Paris Hill, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hicks were in Lewiston Tuesday shopping and visiting Mrs. Gloria Cyr and Mrs. Cynthia Frazer.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kimball celebrated their 17th wedding anniversary at Jordan's Restaurant in Locke Mills, Sunday.

Jimmy Kimball was an overnight guest of Chris and Andy Crockett, Sunday.

Miss Rosie Coolidge was an overnight guest of Miss Velora Kimball, Friday.

Well, folks, I've returned home from gadding around this last winter. My sister took me on a two week tour of Mexico in March. We went from Mexico City where we spent three days visiting all the cathedrals, museums, and other places of interest. Beautiful city and very big. They claim to be the second biggest city in the world. Most of the streets except for what we call free-ways were mostly made of rocks, brick or cobblestones—which are not so hot to walk on. The Metropolitan Cathedral was magnificent with lots of gold trim on the columns and altar as we found was the case in nearly all the cathedrals we visited. We visited the Xochin Canal where they have ferry-like boats along the canal. The islands there were at one time floating islands but most have put down

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COLD WATER BROOK ROAD

NORWAY

Willyma Pierce, Cor.

Cindy Whittemore has been spending part of her school vacation with Beth DeShon.

Guests and callers at Pierces over week end: Myron Pierce, South Paris; Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Billings, West Paris; Marlene Everett and son, Stanley, Darlene Hussey, South Paris; Marilyn Osborne, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Pierce, Lib and Peter Wilson, West Paris.

Geraldine DeShon visited friends in Livenmore Monday.

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JACKSON-SILVER POST & UNIT

HEAR REPORTS OF NOMINATING COMMITTEES

At the regular meeting of Jackson-Silver Post and Unit, #68, Locke Mills, Thursday night, April 17, the nominating committees reported the following slates of new officers for 1980-1981:

For the Legion: Commander, Eldon Bartlett; First Vice Commander, Charlie Mason; Second Vice Commander, Stanley Sargent; Adjutant, Leland Dunham; Finance and Service Officer, Warren Smith; Chaplain, Cleveland Lovejoy and Alanson Cummings; Historian, Raymond Tripp; Sgt.-at-Arms, Ivory Currier; Past Commander, Raymond Hakala.

For the Auxiliary: President, Carmen Bartlett; First Vice President, Cathryn Lovejoy; Second Vice President, Tryene Lovejoy; Secretary, Grace Smith; Treasurer, Vera Cross; Chaplain, Fannie Cummings; Historian, Katherine Hakala; Sgt.-at-Arms, Sylvia Dunham; Past President, Joyce Hathaway.

The joint installation will be May 15. More details later.

Poppy Days are set for May 15, 16 and 17, and a Poppy Girl will be chosen at the May 1 meeting. A lot of credit goes to the members who made the cole slaw and

SENIOR CITIZEN MENU

Monday, April 28: American chop suey, salad, fruited jello.

Tuesday, April 29: Meat-potato burgers w/gravy, carrots, graham cracker cake.

Thursday, May 1: Oven baked beans, frankfurters, cole slaw, chilled peaches.

the gingerbread and worked on the fried clam supper that was so well attended. Publicity was well handled by Warren Smith.

There will be a ham supper with special dessert on May 21 with the public invited.

The dance on May 24 will be a special for all ages. Come to see what there is in store for you.

Donations are needed for the White Elephant and Food Tables for the May 31 indoor flea market. Please price your items and they can be left at Sylvia Dunham's.

Five members of the Post assisted the Rumford Legion with a military funeral on Thursday for Comrade Ernest Record, a World War I veteran. Chaplain Cummings officiated at the committal service.

Refreshments following the meetings were served by Commander Ray Hakala and Raymond Tripp. Committee for May 1 is Cleveland Lovejoy and Alanson Cummings.

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SPRING PARENTS WEEK END AT GOULD APRIL 25-27

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Two additional seminars will be held at 11 a. m. on college placement for juniors and seniors and "Living with Today's Teenager" with Dr. Robert W. Southworth from the University of Maine.

The theme of the day is Shakespeare and an Elizabethan Feast for all parents, students, and faculty will be held in the Girls Gymnasium in William Bingham Hall. Not only will the food be typical of that era, but those in attendance will be entertained by medieval singers, dancers, and clowns.

Also starting at 11 a. m. and ending at 4 p. m. will be the Parents Association's Great Garage Sale held in Gould's Fieldhouse. It will include many donated articles from the parents as well as "some old school desks" that Gould has on hand as well as many brass fire extinguishers ready to be made into lamps. The sale will be a silent auction with each person writing their name and bid on a numbered sheet for each item. The object will go to the highest bidder at 4 p. m. unless five or more bids have been recorded. In that case the article will go up for sale in a voice auction held in the Girls Gym at 4:30 p. m. This sale is open, not only to Gould parents and students, but also to townspeople as well. So stop in on Saturday afternoon and buy that elusive article or present, or an old school desk you might have sat in at one time in the distant past.

Sports will fill the afternoon with Gould's tennis team entertaining South Portland High School, the girls' softball team hosting Fryeburg Academy, and the Lacrosse team playing the Hyde School. A reception for all will be held at 4:30 p. m. in the William Bingham Gymnasium.

A fitting close to this festive day will be the well known actor Duncan McHugh performing his one man play "Shakespeare on Shakespeare" in the Bingham Hall Auditorium at 8 p. m. The public is cordially invited to attend this most interesting and exciting look at the well-known bard.

PLANNING BOARD APPROVES

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originally proposed in 1979, subject to state approval, judging that the restrictions to be placed on the deeds to any lot sold in the subdivision would make slow development of the land likely. They acknowledged the difficult intersection of Route 26 and the Bailey Road, but anticipated that the problem might be addressed as and when development occurred.

The new proposal, discussed last week, involves just less than 20 acres in area, and so is not subject to state review. Lots on both sides of the Bailey Road are included, seven in all. Restrictions will be attached to the deeds for each lot in the subdivision, prohibiting use of the land for any development other than a single family dwelling, establishing setbacks from lot lines, and setting minimum sizes and standards for house construction.

The Board voted to make the entire file on last year's Dole Woods proposal a part of this new submission for subdivision approval. The Board then reviewed the new proposal according to the standards for subdivision set forth in the newly-adopted subdivision regulations. Because of the present lack of proper forms for submitting applications for subdivision approval under the new regulations, the Board waived the formal submission of an application. Otherwise they reviewed the proposal and the plat plan to be satisfied that the subdivision as newly proposed meets the requirements both of the state subdivision law and of local Bethel requirements. They requested that the fact that deed restrictions are included in the proposal be added to the plan, and asked that evidence of the Oxford Land Company's license to do business in Maine be submitted to the Board. Mr. Douglass said he would see to these matters. All members of the Planning Board in attendance, except Mr. Douglass, who abstained from voting, voted to approve the plan, and signed it.

The Board then discussed a possible building code for Bethel, using the Norway building code as a primary model. In an attempt to make such a code clear in its requirements and simple in its administration, the Board discussed the wording of several sections of a possible code. Difficulties arose with the wording of the Norway code and other codes that had been given to the Board as models; to eliminate some of these, and to provide a basis for more efficient discussion, Donald B. Eddy will prepare a draft building code for the Board's consideration.

The next meeting of the Planning Board will be held on April 30 at 7 p. m. in the Town Office.

FROM THE TOWN OFFICE

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In other actions, the Selectmen will consider remaining Board and Committee appointments and review a liquor renewal license application from the Bethel Inn.

Residents are reminded that Bethel's Annual Clean Up Day will be Monday, May 5 and that 1980 Fishing Regulations are available at the Town Office. Residents should also note that a diamond tip marking pen is available at the Town Office for citizens to borrow to mark items in the home.

The Board of Assessors met Monday evening, April 21, at the Town Office with John Lockhead retired Assessor in Auburn to review valuation methods and policies and to review procedures used by the local assessors.

On Tuesday evening, April 22, the Selectmen interviewed candidates for the School Board vacancy created by the resignation of Paul Bodwell. Individuals expressing interest in the position included: David Myers, Chris Otten, Phyllis Dock, Harry Dresser, Jim Haskell, Gretchen Davidson, and Bonnie Angevine. No decision was made on the appointment Tuesday evening.

'CONFEST' ON MAINE'S ETHNIC HERITAGE TO BE HELD

Minority groups representing more than 15 national origins and cultures will participate in a statewide "confest" celebrating Maine's rich and diverse ethnic heritage, Saturday, May 10, 8-4 p. m., at the University of Maine at Augusta Campus. Admission is free and all interested families, groups, and individuals are invited to attend.

The combination conference/festival will feature folk arts and crafts, singing, dancing, games, exhibits, theater presentations, small group discussions, films, and an ethnic potluck luncheon, according to Barney Berube, bilingual education coordinator for the Maine Department of Educational and Cultural Services and chairman of the Maine Multi-Cultural Network sponsoring the event.

Berube noted the purpose of the confest is inherent in its theme: "Maine's Cultural Diversity: Awareness, Preservation, and Sharing".

In addition to the festivities, speakers will address such topics as ethnicity and the 1980 census; the President's Committee on Foreign Languages; and bilingual education. The Maine State Museum will present an ethnic documentary exhibit.

Among the participating ethnic groups will be Lebanese, Italian, Indo-Chinese, Irish, Polish, Franco-American, Scottish, American Indian, Ukrainian, German, Black American, Acadian, Slovak, and Greek. Students from the Governor Baxter School for the Deaf will present a children's theater and sign choir.

UMO PULP AND PAPER ADOPTS 1980 \$400,000 BUDGET

The University of Maine Pulp and Paper Foundation has adopted a 1980 budget of \$400,000 which will be used to support students preparing for paper industry related careers at the University of Maine at Orono and to assist UMO's teaching and research programs that are related to the paper industry. Of that total, \$148,000 is earmarked for scholarships to 125 undergraduates and forestry students chosen competitively on the basis of their academic performance and career interests. Contributions for the funding of these activities come from 150 companies within Maine and throughout the United States and 700 individuals who are Foundation sponsors.

HUSSON CEED COURSES IN RUMFORD MAY 31 - AUG. 2

Registration is underway for summer session courses being offered by the Husson College Continuing Education and Extension Division in Rumford.

Husson is offering summer courses in Rumford to provide for continuity for employed adult students earning two or four-year degrees through the CEED program, according to CEED co-director Lindon Christie Jr.

All classes will be held on Saturday at Rumford High School and will last from May 31 through Aug. 2.

For further information, a complete list of course offerings and/or registration materials, contact site coordinator at Rumford High School on Saturdays at 364-4547.

SUNSET REBEKAH LODGE

Sunset Rebekah Lodge will meet on Monday evening, April 28, at the Odd Fellows Hall.

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THE BAND PLAYED — Follow-Crow Indian Band presents a short concert on the Common.



CHOW TIME — After last Saturday's Patriot's Day parade members of the Upper Cohas Picket Co. enjoy lunch at their encampment on Bethel Common.

THE WEEK IN WASHINGTON

by Sen. Edmund S. Muskie

Earth Day 1980 — Part I

April 22 is the 10th anniversary of the first Earth Day, which most people regard as the day the environmental movement came of age in our society.

On Earth Day 1970, we acknowledged as a country that the earth's resources are finite and its ability to absorb environmental abuse is limited.

Since that day, we have written a substantial body of law dealing with environmental protection and natural resource management, laws ranging from the Clean Air and Clean Water Acts to the National Environmental Policy Act, national park legislation and the Coastal Zone Management Act. "Environmentalism" has become firmly entrenched in our consciousness. As a society we now take the time to ask serious questions we did not ask before.

There has been substantial progress.

Here in Maine our air has always been relatively clean. But our water was used for centuries to provide power and to remove industrial wastes. By this century our rivers had become open sewers, and the Androscoggin was on lists of the nation's 10 dirtiest rivers. Now parts are swimmable again. More than 3,000 acres of clam flats, closed by human wastes, have reopened. A new study puts the economic value of that one accomplishment at \$4 million.

But there is also a big job left to be done, from acid rain to chemical poisons. And as pressure has increased on our supplies of oil and other natural resources, we have begun to ask more often whether the very environmental goals we established in law are more costly than they might be.

Some critics of the environmental movement now say that it has reached a mid-life crisis and has lost direction.

I don't agree with that. It hasn't lost direction, but the environmental movement is beginning to take a new direction.

This is not because we have failed over the past 10 years to produce adequate laws against the neglect which sparked the environmental revolution.

The environmental movement established a solid framework. To build on that framework, I believe we need a new spirit of conservation.

Conservation isn't a new term. It certainly isn't an easy term to deal with. It calls for sacrifice, for discipline, for planning.

Conservation has never been ex-

tremely popular in the United States. Ours has been a history of abundance. The days of abundance are over.

The New Conservation must mean two things:

First it must mean preserving the framework of laws we now have to protect our environment. Second, and more important, it must mean convincing the unconvinced that a comfortable future will mean changes in lifestyle and in philosophical approach.

The best law is the most defensible law. We must test our environmental laws to determine their worth.

Economic and budgetary pressures are mounting. Economists, energy producers and automobile manufacturers are attempting to make regulation the scapegoat for inflation. To those who believe in environmental law, as I do, must become better measurers, to calculate the benefits of a law as well as the cost. And we must document the results we achieve.

We must be honest and correct our laws where they fail. But the environmental movement cannot collapse under the pressure to dismantle our laws in the name of quick energy cures or inflation fixes.

The important environmental laws of the last decade were not written to legitimize a brief interlude of raised consciousness. Those laws set standards of protection, cleanliness and safety whether we have an energy shortage or an energy surplus; whether we have high inflation, or a low inflation rate; whether the polls are up or down.

Our laws codify a way of life, not a decade of cleanliness and conservation flanked by eras of profligate waste.

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HISTORICAL SOCIETY WILL SHOW GREENWOOD PICTURES

Slide views of old time Greenwood will be the featured presentation at the monthly meeting of the Bethel Historical Society to be held Thursday, May 1, at 7:30 p. m. in the meeting room of the Dr. Moses Mason House. This collection has been prepared and arranged by Blaine Mills and other members of the recently formed Greenwood Historical Society. Mr. Mills will be present and will be showing the slides as well as providing appropriate commentary.

Greenwood was incorporated in 1816 and has been important to the area for its industrial and recreational opportunities. There has also been a long association between Bethel and Greenwood and it is hoped that anyone interested in Greenwood's history as well as seeing some remarkable photographs of a bygone era will plan to come.

Everyone is welcome and refreshments will follow the program.

Locke Mills

Mrs. John Mills, Corres.

The Ladies Circle met on Wednesday at the Sunday School room. The kits were finished and ready to be packed and sent. The members discussed the food sale scheduled for May 16. Mrs. Lorraine Pfaunder gave devotions in the absence of the pastor.

Sympathy of the town is expressed to the family of Rodney Chase. Oscar Johnson is a patient at Rumford Community Hospital following a heart attack, but is feeling better and has been removed from the intensive care unit.

Mrs. Lillian Lapham entertained as guests over the week end her three granddaughters, Rebecca and Kathleen Smith, and Mrs. Diana Dickinson and her great grandson, Jason, all of Wallingford, Conn. Lawrence Mason of Canton visited his sister, Mrs. Norwood Ford, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mills were in East Andover Wednesday evening to attend a prayer meeting at the home of Vivian Barlow.

Mrs. Dora Ford was pleased to receive 38 cards on her 72nd birthday. She also received two cakes, one from the Ladies Circle, made by Annie Kimball, and one from the Fish and Game Association, made by Donna Curtis.

Mrs. Edward Gaudet, Lisa and Johnny, of Yarmouth, were at their camp on the week end. They were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Bertha Flanders. Charles Morse and Darren also were guests and Mrs. Morse joined them after work.

Mrs. Dora Ford visited Mrs. Lettie Ford at Ledgewood on Friday and found her feeling some better.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Cole, Lynn and Jean, were Saturday callers at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Cole.

Mrs. Rowena Dunham, Mrs. Dora Ford and Mrs. Bertha Flanders attended Franklin Grange in Bryant Pond Monday evening, where awards were given to Lenwood Andrews and Beatrice Farnum.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert DeNormandie spent the week end at their home in Greenwood Center.

During the last month, Kathy Jo Bartlett, was welcomed into membership of the Locke Mills Union Church. Kathy, Mark Andrew and Kelly-Jean Bartlett, Dennis Anthony and Shellie Raye Swan received holy baptism.

Mr. and Mrs. James DeNormandie have moved into a rent in South Paris.

Girls ages 8-16 interested in summer softball are asked to be at the ballfield on Monday, April 28 between 3:00-4:00 for registration. Questions—call Louise, 875-3625, or Shirley, 875-2683.

A CETA worker is available Wednesday 9-12, at the Bethel Savings Bank.

RODNEY E. CHASE

Rodney E. Chase died unexpectedly at his home in Locke Mills, Thursday, April 17, 1980.

He was born on Nov. 10, 1923, at Newry, the son of Shirley and Sarah Scribner Chase. He was a member of the IOOF Lodge, Bethel, and the American Rifle Association. He had been employed by the P. H. Chadbourne Co. of Bethel for 42 years. He was a veteran of World War II, having served three years in the U. S. Army. His wife, Helen, died in 1974.

Surviving are two sons, Rodney Jr., Bryant Pond, and Everett, Locke Mills; four daughters, Mrs. Dora Demers, Gardiner, Mrs. Susan Day, Bethel, Miss Vivian Chase and Miss Carolyn Chase, both of Locke Mills; a brother, Everett Chase, Locke Mills; and six grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon from the Greenleaf funeral home. Interment was in the South Bethel Cemetery.

LESLIE E. ESTES

Leslie E. Estes died Wednesday at the Andrews Nursing Home in South Paris, where he had been cared for the past several years.

Born in Bethel Oct. 8, 1897, he was the son of Eliott Isaac and Ella Knight Estes. He was employed as a farmer during his younger years at the Estes homestead on the Gore Road.

He is survived by a sister, Mrs. Marion Tibbets of Norway.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Saturday at Andrews and Son funeral home, South Woodstock.

GUY W. BANCROFT, JR.

Guy W. Bancroft, Jr., of Waterford, died unexpectedly Monday, April 21, 1980, at the home of his sister in East Waterford.

He was born at Waterford on Oct. 2, 1923, the son of Guy W. and Gladys Billings Bancroft Sr. He attended Waterford schools, and graduated from Norway High School in the class of 1941. He was formerly employed at the Diamond Match Company in Norway and more recently by SAD 17, retiring in 1978 due to ill health. He was a member of the Stone-Smart Post, A. L., Norway, Norway Lodge IOOF, Waterford Historical Society and the National Rifle Association. He served six years in the U. S. Navy during World War II.

He leaves four sisters, Mrs. Alma Millett, Waterford, Mrs. Alma Thompson, Jay, Mrs. Agnes Lathi, East Waterford, and Phyllis Bancroft, Arlington, Va.; a half-sister, Mrs. Thelma Merrill, Norway; one brother, William Bancroft, Albany.

Gravestone services and interment will be at the Elm Vale Cemetery, South Waterford, Friday, April 25, at 1 p. m.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of Dorothy B. Greenwood wishes to thank all friends and neighbors for their assistance and comfort during our days of grief.

BORN

In Portland, April 20, to Mary Byrd (Woolfolk) and Paul Farrar of Portland, a daughter, Anna Cody Woolfolk-Farrar.

In Berlin, N. H., April 23, to Randall and Audrey Jordan Brooks of Newry, a daughter.

DIED

In Locke Mills, April 17, Rodney E. Chase, aged 56 years.

In East Waterford, April 21, Guy W. Bancroft, Jr., of Waterford, aged 57 years.

In South Paris, April 23, Leslie E. Estes, formerly of Bethel, aged 82 years.

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BETHEL HISTORICAL SOCIETY TO HONOR FORMER LOCAL ARTIST

On Memorial Day week end, May 24-26, The Bethel Historical Society will sponsor the first "Faye Taylor Memorial Art Show". This exhibition, which is open to M. S. A. D. #44 student artists as well as adults, honors one of the Society's strongest, early supporters. It also marks the organization within "The Bethel Historical Society of an art committee whose purpose it is to stimulate the society's interests in area history expressed through art and the role of artistic achievement in local historical development. The Moses Mason House is an excellent example of this approach to art in local history with its Rufus Porter murals and portraits of Dr. and Mrs. Mason by Chester Harding.

The art exhibition will feature some of the paintings by the late Faye Taylor whose talent and interest in encouraging youngsters to develop their own talent as well as promoting adult classes often held in her home in Kimball Park contributed significantly to the cultural activities of the Bethel area.

To carry on the goals of Mrs. Taylor in terms of encouraging young artists, The Bethel Historical Society will award cash prizes to the top three entries from M. S. A. D. #44 schools. There will be two divisions: one for high school and middle school level entries and a second for elementary school entries. Candidates must submit a finished work which is an original piece of art, not posters or tracings.

During the week-end art show, the Society will also hold a special reception honoring the 191st birthday of Dr. Moses Mason on Sunday, May 25, at the Moses Mason Museum.

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